

## Message Text

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ACTION IO-13

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FM AMEMBASSY COLOMBO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7273

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ELAB, CE

SUBJ: SEMINAR ON EMPLOYMENT PLANNING AND FULLER UTILIZATION  
OF MEN AND WOMEN IN THE LABOR FORCE

REF: (A) COLOMBO 1410; (B) STATE 99442

1. FORMAL APPROVAL FOR FUNDING OF SRI LANKAN DELEGATE TO  
SUBJECT SEMINAR HAS NOT YET BEEN RECEIVED FROM UNDP AND ILO  
BUT THE GSL HAS BEEN INFORMALLY TOLD THAT SUCH FUNDS WILL BE  
MADE AVAILABLE.

2. PENDING THE APPROVAL, GSL HAS NOMINATED P.N.M. (NEIL)  
FERNANDO, DIRECTOR OF EMPLOYMENT AND MANPOWER PLANIVCG DIVISION,  
MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS, TO ATTEND SEMINAR.  
AGED 43, FERNANDO RECEIVED A B.A. IN ECONOMICS FROM UNIVERSITY  
OF CEYLON (1956) AND MASTERS DEGREE IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION  
FROM UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH (1972). BESIDES HIS DUTIES WITH  
THE EMPLOYMENT AND MANPOWER PLANNING DIVISION (SINCE 1975),  
FERNANDO IS ALSO CHAIRMAN, NATIONAL YOUTH SERVICE COUNCIL.  
HE HAS PREVIOUSLY WORKED IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF AGRARIAN SER-  
VICES AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND SMALL INDUSTRIES.

3. HIS ENGLISH IS EXCELLENT.

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